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SUBJ: NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT REFUSED ENTRY

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1. MORNING OCT 15 AMBASSADOR RECEIVED FOLLOWING TELEGRAM FROM JAMES GREENFIELD, FOREIGN EDITOR OF NEW YORK TIMES: "AS I AM SURE YOU ARE AWARE OUR LATIN AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT JONATHAN KANDELL WAS REFUSED ENTRY INTO CHILE MONDAY AND A CALL HE STARTED TO MAKE TO THE EMBASSY WAS CUT OFF BY CHILEAN OFFICIALS AT THE AIRPORT. ON BEHALF OF THE EDITORS AND PUBLISHER OF THE NEW YORK TIMES I WOULD LIKE TO DEPLORE THIS ACTION IN THE STRONGEST TERMS AND HOPE THAT YOU WILL CONVEY OUR POSITION TO THE APPROPRIATE CHILEAN AUTHORITIES."

2. PLEASE REPLY TO GREENFIELD ON AMBASSADOR'S BEHALF, AS FOLLOWS: "YOUR TELEGRAM RECEIVED. WE ARE MAKING REPRESENTATIONS TO CHILEAN AUTHORITIES RE DENIAL OF ENTRY TO JONATHAN KANDELL, AND WILL CONVEY NEW YORK TIMES POSITION TO THEM. FOR YOUR INFORMATION ONLY, LET ME ADD THAT IT IS UNFORTUNATE THAT KANDELL DID NOT INFORM US IN ADVANCE OF HIS

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TRAVEL PLANS. IN A PREVIOUS INSTANCE INVOLVING

ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT, OUR OFFICER WAS PRESENT AT
AIRPORT AND WAS ABLE TO OBTAIN REVERSAL OF POLICE
EFFORT TO DENY ENTRY. WARM REGARDS."
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